

STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 16 STATE HOUSE STATION AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333 0016

DAVID A COLE

COMMISSIONER

MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION **EEO POLICY STATEMENT**

The Maine Department of Transportation is committed to ensuring that the fundamental principles of equal opportunity are upheld in all decisions involving our employees and contractors/consultants, and to ensuring that the public-at-large is afforded access to our programs and services

To that end, no person shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any Maine Department of Transportation program or activity on the grounds of race, color, national origin, income, sex, age, disability, or limited English proficiency In accordance with Maine State Law, no person shall be subjected to discrimination on the grounds of sexual orientation Maine Department of Transportation assures all its programs and activities will be free from discrimination, whether those programs and activities are federally funded or not

Maine Department of Transportation conducts its Title VI/Environmental Justice Program in a team approach involving personnel from all program areas, with guidance from the Department's Title VI Specialist I have designated the Department's Equal Employment Opportunity Officer within the Civil Rights Office to serve as the Title VI/EJ Specialist, to ensure Maine Department of Transportation's compliance with the Title VI/EJ implementing regulations

Inquiries concerning Maine Department of Transportation's policies, investigations, complaints, compliance with applicable laws, regulations, and concerns regarding compliance with Title VI/Environmental Justice may be directed to

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This policy statement must be circulated throughout Maine Department of Transportation and be included by reference in all contracts, agreements, programs and services administered by Maine Department of Transportation

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FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION CIVIL RIGHTS ASSURANCE

The <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> HEREBY CERTIFIES THAT, as a condition of receiving Federal financial assistance under the Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1964, as amended, it will ensure that

- 1 No person on the basis of race, color, or national origin will be subjected to discrimination in the level and quality of transportation services and transit-related benefits
- The <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> will compile, maintain, and submit in a timely manner Title VI information required by UMTA Circular 4702 1 and in compliance with the Department of Transportation's Title VI regulation, 49 CFR Part 21 9
- The <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> make it known to the public that those person or persons alleging discrimination on the basis of race, color or national origin as it relates to the provision of transportation services and transit-related benefits may file a complaint with the Federal Transit Administration and/or the U.S. Department of Transportation

The person or persons whose signature appears below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the grant applicant or recipient

DAVID A COLE, COMMISSIONER DATE

(NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED OFFICER)

(SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED OFFICER)



<u>DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION - TITLE VI ASSURANCE</u>

FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION ASSISTED PROGRAMS

The Maine Department of Transportation (hereinafter referred to as the "Recipient") HEREBY AGREES THAT as a condition to receiving any Federal financial assistance from the Department of Transportation it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat 252, 42 U S C 2000d-42 U S C 2000d-4 (hereinafter referred to as the Act), and all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation - Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations) and other pertinent directives, to the end that in accordance with the Act, Regulations, and other pertinent directives, no person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance from the Department of Transportation, including Federal Transit Administration, and HEREBY GIVES ASSURANCE THAT it will promptly take any measures necessary to effectuate this agreement. This assurance is required by subsection 21.7(a) of the Regulations

More specifically and without Limiting the above general assurance, the Recipient hereby gives the following specific assurances with respect to its Transit Programs

- 1 That the Recipient agrees that each "program" and each "facility" as defined in subsections 21 23(s) and 21 23(b) of the Regulations, will be (with regard to a "program") conducted, or will be (with regard to a "facility") operated in compliance with all requirements imposed by, or pursuant to, the Regulations
- 2 That the Recipient shall insert the following notification in all solicitations for bids for work or materiel subject to the Regulations and made in connection with all <u>Transit Programs</u> and, in adapted form in all proposals for negotiated agreements
 - The Maine Department of Transprotation, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stet 252, 42 U S C 2000d to 2000d-4 end Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award
- That the Recipient shall insert the clauses of Appendix A of this assurance in every contract subject to this Act and the Regulations
- That the Recipient shall insert the clauses of Appendix B of this assurance, as a covenant running with the land, in any deed from the United States effecting a transfer of real property, structures, or improvements thereon, or interest therein
- That where the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance to construct a facility, or part of a facility, the assurance shall extend to the entire facility and facilities operated in connection therewith

- That where the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance in the form, or for the acquisition of real property or an interest in real property, the assurance shall extend to rights to space on, over, or under such property
- 7 That the Recipient shall include the appropriate clauses set forth in Appendix C of this assurance, as a covenant running with the land, in any future deeds, leases, permits, licenses, and similar agreements enter into by the Recipient with other parties (a) for the subsequent transfer of real property acquired or improved under <u>Transit Programs</u>, and (b) for the construction or use of or access to space on, over, or under real property acquired, or improved under <u>Transit Programs</u>
- That this assurance obligates the Recipient for the period during which Federal financial assistance is extended to the program, except where the Federal financial assistance is to provide, or is in the form of, personal property, or real property or interest therein or structures or improvements thereon, in which case the assurance obligates the Recipient or any transferee for the longer of the following periods (a) the period during which the property is used for a purpose for which the Federal financial assistance is extended, or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits, or (b) the period during which the Recipient retains ownership or possession of the property
- The Recipient shall provide for such methods of administration for the program as are found by the Secretary of Transportation or the official to whom he/she delegates specific authority to give reasonable guarantee that it, other recipients, subgrantees, contractors, subcontractors, transferees, successors in interest, and other participants of Federal financial assistance under such program will comply with all requirements imposed or pursuant to the Act, the Regulations and this assurance
- 10 The Recipient agrees that the United States has a right to seek judicial enforcement with regard to any matter arising under the Act, the Regulations and this assurance

THIS ASSURANCE is given in consideration of and for the purpose of obtaining any and all Federal grants, loans, contracts, property, discounts or other Federal financial assistance extended after the date here of to the Recipient by the Department of Transportation under the Transit Programs and is binding on it, other recipients, subgrantees, contractors, subcontractors, transferees, successors in interest and other participants in the Transit Programs

The person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Recipient

DATED C 2106

MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

(Name of Recipient)

(Signature of Authorized Official)

DAVID A COLE, COMMISSIONER

Attachments
Appendices A, B, and C

(APPENDIX A TO TITLE VI ASSURANCE)

FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION ASSISTED PROGRAMS

During the performance of this contract, the contractor, for itself, its assignees and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the "contractor") agrees as follows

- (1) <u>Compliance with Regulations</u> The contractor shall comply with the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination in federally assisted programs of the Department of Transportation (hereinafter, "DOT") Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract
- (2) <u>Nondiscrimination</u> The contractor, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The contractor shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by Section 21.5 of the Regulations, including employment practices when the contract covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations.
- (3) Solicitations for Subcontracts, Including Procurements of Materials and Equipment In all solicitations either by competitive bidding or negotiation made by the contractor for work to be performed under e subcontract, including procurements of materials or leases of equipment, each potential subcontractor or supplier shall be notified by the contractor of the contractor's obligations under this contract and the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination on the grounds of race, color, or national origin
- (4) <u>Information and Reports</u> The contractor shall provide all information and reports required by this Regulations or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> or the <u>Federal Transit Administration</u> to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions Where any information required of a contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information the contractor shall so certify to the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u>, or the <u>Federal Transit Administration</u> as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information
- (5) <u>Sanctions for Noncompliance</u> In the event of the contractor's noncompliance with nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> shall impose contract sanctions as it or the <u>Federal Transit Administration</u> may determine to be appropriate, including, but not Limited to
- (a) withholding of payments to the contractor under the contract until the contractor complies, and/or
- (b) cancellation, termination, or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part

(6) Incorporation of Provisions The contractor shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (6) in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the Maine Department of Transportation or the Federal Transit.

Administration may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance.

Provided, however, that in the event a contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the contractor may request the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u>, and, in addition, the contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States

(APPENDIX B TO TITLE VI ASSURANCE)

FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION ASSISTED PROGRAMS

The following clauses shall be included in any and all deeds effecting or recording the transfer of real property, structures or improvements thereon, or interest therein from the United States

(GRANTING CLAUSE)

NOW, THEREFORE, the Department of Transportation, as authorized by law, and upon the condition that the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> will accept title to the lands and maintain the project constructed thereon, in accordance with <u>Title 23</u>, <u>United States Code</u>, the Regulations for the Administration of <u>Transit Programs</u> and the policies and procedures prescribed by <u>Federal Transit Administration</u> of the Department of Transportation and, also in accordance with and in compliance with all requirements imposed by or pursuant to 'Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Pert 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations) pertaining to and effectuating the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat 252, 42 U S C 2000d to 2000d-4), does hereby remise, release, quitclaim and convey unto the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> all the right, title and interest of the Department of Transportation in and to said lands described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof

(HABENDUM CLAUSE)

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said lands and interests therein unto Maine Department of Transportation and its successors forever, subject, however, to the covenants, conditions, restrictions and reservations herein contained as follows, which will remain in effect for the period during which the real property or structures are used for a purpose for which Federal financial assistance is extended or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits and shall be binding on the Maine Department of Transportation, its successors and assigns

The Maine Department of Transportation, in consideration of the conveyance of said lands and interests in lands, does hereby covenant end agree as a covenant running with the land for itself, its successors and assigns, that (1) no person shall on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination with regard to any facility located wholly or in part on, over or under such lands hereby conveyed [,] [and]* (2) that the Maine Department of Transportation shall use the lands and interests in lands end interests in lands so conveyed, in compliance with all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation - Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1954, and as said Regulations may be amended, and (3) that in the event of breach of any of the above-mentioned nondiscrimination conditions, the Department shall have a right to re-enter said lands and facilities on said land, and the above described land and facilities shall thereon revert to and vest in and become the absolute property of the Department of Transportation and its assigns as such interest existed prior to this instruction *

* Reverter clause and related language to be used only when it is determined that such a clause is necessary in order to effectuate the purposes of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

(APPENDIX C TO TITLE VI ASSURANCE)

FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION ASSISTED PROGRAMS

The following clauses shall be included in all deeds, licenses, leases, permits, or similar instruments entered into by the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> pursuant to the provisions of Assurance 7(a)

The (grantee, licensee, lessee, permitee, etc., as appropriate) for herself/himself, his/her heirs, personal representatives, successors in interest, and assigns, as a part of the consideration hereof, does hereby covenant and agree [in the case of deeds and leases add "as a covenant running with the land"] that in the event facilities are constructed, maintained, or otherwise operated on the said property described in this (deed, license, lease, permit, etc.) for a purpose for which a Department of Transportation program or activity is extended or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits, the (grantee, licensee, lessee, permitee, etc.) shall maintain and operate such facilities and services in compliance with all other requirements imposed pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination of Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation - Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and as said Regulations may be amended

[Include in licenses, leases, permits, etc]*

That in the event of breach of any of the above nondiscrimination covenants, <u>Maine</u>

<u>Department of Transportation</u> shall have the right to terminate the [license, lease, permit, etc] and to re-enter and repossess said land and the facilities thereon, and hold the same as if said [licenses, lease, permit, etc] had never been made or issued

[Include in deeds]*

That in the event of breach of any of the above nondiscrimination covenants, <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> shall have the right to re-enter said lands and facilities thereon, and the above described lands and facilities shall thereupon revert to and vest in and become the absolute property of <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> and its assigns

The following shall be included in all deeds, licenses, leases, permits, or similar agreements entered into by Maine Department of Transportation pursuant to the provisions of Assurance 7(b)

The (grantee, licensee, lessee, permitee, etc., as appropriate) for herself/himself, his/her personal representatives, successors in interest, and assigns, as a part of the consideration hereof, does hereby covenant and agree (in case of deeds, and leases add "as a covenant running with the land") that (1) no person on the grounds of race, color, or national origin shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the use of said facilities, (2) that in the construction of any improvements on, over or under such land and the furnishing services there on, no person on the grounds of race, color, or national origin shall be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination, and (3) that the (grantee, licensee, lessee, permitee, etc.) shall use the premises in compliance with all other requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation - Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and as said Regulations may be amended

[Include in licenses, lessee, permits, etc.]*

That in the event of breach of any of the above nondiscrimination covenants, <u>Maine</u>

<u>Department of Transportation</u> shall have the right to terminate the [license, lease, permit, etc] and to re-enter and repossess said land and the facilities thereon, and hold the same as if said [license, lease, permit, etc] had never been made or issued

[Include in deeds]*

That in the event of breach of any of the above nondiscrimination covenants, <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> shall have the right to re-enter said land and facilities thereon, and the above described lands and facilities shall thereupon revert to and vest in and become the absolute property of <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> and its assigns

* Reverter clause and related language to be used only when it is determined that such a clause is necessary in order to effectuate the purpose of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TITLE VI ASSURANCE

FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ASSISTED PROGRAMS

The Maine Department of Transportation (hereinafter referred to as the "Recipient") HEREBY AGREES THAT as a condition to receiving any Federal financial assistance from the Department of Transportation it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat 252, 42 U S C 2000d-42 U S C 2000d-4 (hereinafter referred to as the Act), and all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation - Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations) and other pertinent directives, to the end that in accordance with the Act, Regulations, and other pertinent directives, no person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance from the Department of Transportation, including Federal Highway Administration, and HEREBY GIVES ASSURANCE THAT it will promptly take any measures necessary to effectuate this agreement. This assurance is required by subsection 21 7(a) of the Regulations

More specifically and without Limiting the above general assurance, the Recipient hereby gives the following specific assurances with respect to its <u>Federal – Aid Highway Program</u>

- 11 That the Recipient agrees that each "program" and each "facility" as defined in subsections 21 23(s) and 21 23(b) of the Regulations, will be (with regard to a "program") conducted, or will be (with regard to a "facility") operated in compliance with all requirements imposed by, or pursuant to, the Regulations
- 12 That the Recipient shall insert the following notification in all solicitations for bids for work or materiel subject to the Regulations and made in connection with all Federal Aid Highway Program and, in adapted form in all proposals for negotiated agreements
 - The Maine Department of Transportation, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stet 252, 42 U S C 2000d to 2000d-4 end Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award
- 13 That the Recipient shall insert the clauses of Appendix A of this assurance in every contract subject to this Act and the Regulations
- 14 That the Recipient shall insert the clauses of Appendix B of this assurance, as a covenant running with the land, in any deed from the United States effecting a transfer of real property, structures, or improvements thereon, or interest therein
- 15 That where the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance to construct a facility, or part of a facility, the assurance shall extend to the entire facility and facilities operated in connection therewith

- 16 That where the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance in the form, or for the acquisition of real property or an interest in real property, the assurance shall extend to rights to space on, over, or under such property
- 17 That the Recipient shall include the appropriate clauses set forth in Appendix C of this assurance, as a covenant running with the land, in any future deeds, leases, permits, licenses, and similar agreements enter into by the Recipient with other parties (a) for the subsequent transfer of real property acquired or improved under Federal Aid Highway Program, and (b) for the construction or use of or access to space on, over, or under real property acquired, or improved under Federal Aid Highway Program
- 18 That this assurance obligates the Recipient for the period during which Federal financial assistance is extended to the program, except where the Federal financial assistance is to provide, or is in the form of, personal property, or real property or interest therein or structures or improvements thereon, in which case the assurance obligates the Recipient or any transferee for the longer of the following periods (a) the period during which the property is used for a purpose for which the Federal financial assistance is extended, or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits, or (b) the period during which the Recipient retains ownership or possession of the property
- 19 The Recipient shall provide for such methods of administration for the program as are found by the Secretary of Transportation or the official to whom he/she delegates specific authority to give reasonable guarantee that it, other recipients, subgrantees, contractors, subcontractors, transferees, successors in interest, and other participants of Federal financial assistance under such program will comply with all requirements imposed or pursuant to the Act, the Regulations and this assurance
- 20 The Recipient agrees that the United States has a right to seek judicial enforcement with regard to any matter arising under the Act, the Regulations and this assurance

THIS ASSURANCE is given in consideration of and for the purpose of obtaining any and all Federal grants, loans, contracts, property, discounts or other Federal financial assistance extended after the date here of to the Recipient by the Department of Transportation under the Federal – Aid Highway Program and is binding on it, other recipients, subgrantees, contractors, subcontractors, transferees, successors in interest and other participants in the Federal – Aid Highway Program The person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Recipient

DATED 6/2/06

MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (Name of Recipient)

Segnature of Authorized Official

DAVID A COLE, COMMISSIONER

Attachments
Appendices A, B, and C

(APPENDIX A TO TITLE VI ASSURANCE)

FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ASSISTED PROGRAMS

During the performance of this contract, the contractor, for itself, its assignees and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the "contractor") agrees as follows

- (1) <u>Compliance with Regulations</u> The contractor shall comply with the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination in federally assisted programs of the Department of Transportation (hereinafter, "DOT") Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract
- (2) <u>Nondiscrimination</u> The contractor, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The contractor shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by Section 21.5 of the Regulations, including employment practices when the contract covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations
- (3) <u>Solicitations for Subcontracts, Including Procurements of Materials and Equipment</u> In all solicitations either by competitive bidding or negotiation made by the contractor for work to be performed under e subcontract, including procurements of materials or leases of equipment, each potential subcontractor or supplier shall be notified by the contractor of the contractor's obligations under this contract and the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination on the grounds of race, color, or national origin
- (4) <u>Information and Reports</u> The contractor shall provide all information and reports required by this Regulations or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> or the <u>Federal Highway Administration</u> to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions. Where any information required of a contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information the contractor shall so certify to the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u>, or the <u>Federal Highway Administration</u> as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information
- (5) <u>Sanctions for Noncompliance</u> In the event of the contractor's noncompliance with nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> shall impose contract sanctions as it or the <u>Federal Highway Administration</u> may determine to be appropriate, including, but not Limited to
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- (6) Incorporation of Provisions The contractor shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (6) in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the Maine Department of Transportation or the Federal Highway.

 Administration may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance.

Provided, however, that in the event a contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the contractor may request the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u>, and, in addition, the contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States

(APPENDIX B TO TITLE VI ASSURANCE)

FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ASSISTED PROGRAMS

The following clauses shall be included in any and all deeds effecting or recording the transfer of real property, structures or improvements thereon, or interest therein from the United States

(GRANTING CLAUSE)

NOW, THEREFORE, the Department of Transportation, as authorized by law, and upon the condition that the Maine Department of Transportation will accept title to the lands and maintain the project constructed thereon, in accordance with Title 23, United States Code, the Regulations for the Administration of Federal Aid Highway Program and the policies and procedures prescribed by Federal Highway Administration of the Department of Transportation and, also in accordance with and in compliance with all requirements imposed by or pursuant to 'Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Pert 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations) pertaining to and effectuating the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat 252, 42 U S C 2000d to 2000d-4), does hereby remise, release, quitclaim and convey unto the Maine Department of Transportation all the right, title and interest of the Department of Transportation in and to said lands described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof

(HABENDUM CLAUSE)

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said lands and interests therein unto Maine Department of Transportation and its successors forever, subject, however, to the covenants, conditions, restrictions and reservations herein contained as follows, which will remain in effect for the period during which the real property or structures are used for a purpose for which Federal financial assistance is extended or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits and shall be binding on the Maine Department of Transportation, its successors and assigns

The Maine Department of Transportation, in consideration of the conveyance of said lands and interests in lands, does hereby covenant end agree as a covenant running with the land for itself, its successors and assigns, that (1) no person shall on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination with regard to any facility located wholly or in part on, over or under such lands hereby conveyed [,] [and]* (2) that the Maine Department of Transportation shall use the lands and interests in lands end interests in lands so conveyed, in compliance with all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation - Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1954, and as said Regulations may be amended, and (3) that in the event of breach of any of the above-mentioned nondiscrimination conditions, the Department shall have a right to re-enter said lands and facilities on said land, and the above described land and facilities shall thereon revert to and vest in and become the absolute property of the Department of Transportation and its assigns as such interest existed prior to this instruction *

* Reverter clause and related language to be used only when it is determined that such a clause is necessary in order to effectuate the purposes of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

(APPENDIX C TO TITLE VI ASSURANCE)

FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ASSISTED PROGRAMS

The following clauses shall be included in all deeds, licenses, leases, permits, or similar instruments entered into by the <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> pursuant to the provisions of Assurance 7(a)

The (grantee, licensee, lessee, permitee, etc., as appropriate) for herself/himself, his/her heirs, personal representatives, successors in interest, and assigns, as a part of the consideration hereof, does hereby covenant and agree [in the case of deeds and leases add "as a covenant running with the land"] that in the event facilities are constructed, maintained, or otherwise operated on the said property described in this (deed, license, lease, permit, etc.) for a purpose for which a Department of Transportation program or activity is extended or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits, the (grantee, licensee, lessee, permitee, etc.) shall maintain and operate such facilities and services in compliance with all other requirements imposed pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination of Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation - Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and as said Regulations may be amended

[Include in licenses, leases, permits, etc]*

That in the event of breach of any of the above nondiscrimination covenants, <u>Maine</u>

<u>Department of Transportation</u> shall have the right to terminate the [license, lease, permit, etc] and to re-enter and repossess said land and the facilities thereon, and hold the same as if said [licenses, lease, permit, etc] had never been made or issued

[Include in deeds]*

That in the event of breach of any of the above nondiscrimination covenants, <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> shall have the right to re-enter said lands and facilities thereon, and the above described lands and facilities shall thereupon revert to and vest in and become the absolute property of <u>Maine Department of Transportation</u> and its assigns

The following shall be included in all deeds, licenses, leases, permits, or similar agreements entered into by Maine Department of Transportation pursuant to the provisions of Assurance 7(b)

The (grantee, licensee, lessee, permitee, etc., as appropriate) for herself/himself, his/her personal representatives, successors in interest, and assigns, as a part of the consideration hereof, does hereby covenant and agree (in case of deeds, and leases add "as a covenant running with the land") that (1) no person on the grounds of race, color, or national origin shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the use of said facilities, (2) that in the construction of any improvements on, over or under such land and the furnishing services there on, no person on the grounds of race, color, or national origin shall be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination, and (3) that the (grantee, licensee, lessee, permitee, etc.) shall use the premises in compliance with all other requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation - Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and as said Regulations may be amended

[Include in licenses, lessee, permits, etc]*

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* Reverter clause and related language to be used only when it is determined that such a clause is necessary in order to effectuate the purpose of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964